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For:
SERIAL CONNECTED LOW-LOSS SYNCHRONOUSLY SWITCHABLE VOLTAGE
CHOPPER

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Preliminary to examination of the above-referenced
application, please amend the application as follows: